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[Providence, RI]

October 17, 1882

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I received by Express, Saturday the Five dollar gold coin a.d. 1795. It seems to me $15. is a very great price. I cannot understand why this gold piece should command 300 per centum premium. If you have an uncirculated $2½ gold coin of date of first issue, no other wanted, in prime condition write me the price. Wanted 2½ dollars a.d. first issue. Enclosed please find New York Bonds payable to your order to the amount of Fifteen ($15) Dollars in full for $5. Gold a.d. 1795.

Very Respectfully
Yr. obt. Serv.
John R. Wheaton

Mrs. A. H. Chapman
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